

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

P.S. – Mines & Geology Department – Certain irregularities committed by Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, Assistant Director, Mines & Geology, Guntur District – Placed under suspension – Orders Issued.

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INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (VIG) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.714

Dt:16.11.2010.

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ORDER:

Whereas, it has come to the notice of the Government, that the sand quarrying by the lease holder M/s. The Didugu Sand & Boat Workers Coop. Society Ltd., in reach No.8 of Amaravathi Mandal Limits in Guntur District was done by using poclains and transporting sand by forming the ramps instead of lifting and carrying the sand by means of boats only, with the connivance of the Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Guntur, Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, in violation of Rule 9-C and 9-X(e) of APMMC Rules 1966.

2. And whereas, A.Srinivasa Kumar, Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Guntur though aware of the fact that the lease holders are carrying/transporting the quarried sand in permitted areas by other means than those allowed as per Rules by forming paths up to the deposit, never apprised the District Level Sand Committee, Guntur and deliberately suppressed the facts and thereby the Government have suffered a huge loss of Lakhs of Rupees per annum.

3. And whereas, A.Srinivasa Kumar, the A.D. has illegally accorded the permission for additional three (3) ramps on left flood bank Krishna river on Krishna District side in addition to the existing six (6) ramps on Right flood bank of Krishna River in Guntur district by deliberately misinterpreting the orders of the Hon'ble High Court of A.P., Hyderabad.

4. And whereas, Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, the Assistant Director, M&G, Guntur has knowingly allowed the lessee Society to form the ramps and excavate the sand by using Poclains and even after noticing the irregularity has not initiated any action on the lessee Society and also supported the illegal activities of the Society.

5. And whereas, Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, the A.D. has knowingly reserved the sand reach No.8 Amaravathi Mandal for the Boatsman Society and allowed

the Society to quarry the sand by using poclians and transport the sand through vehicles by forming the ramps directly into the river instead of using the boats for quarrying the sand, due to which the Government suffered a huge loss of revenue to the tune of lakhs of rupees.

6. And whereas, in view of the serious lapses on the part of Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, the Assistant Director, Mines & Geology, O/O, M&G, Guntur, in curbing the illegal activities in the above reaches, and in as much as he suppressed the facts and did not bring to the notice of the District Level Sand Committee and illegally accorded permission for additional three ramps, the Government, therefore, had decided to place Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, Assistant Director, M&G, Guntur under suspension.

7. Now therefore, the Government in exercise of the powers conferred under Rule 15 of A.P.C.S. (CC & A ) Rules, 1991, hereby place Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, Assistant Director (Mines & Geology, ) Guntur, under suspension as per Rule 8 (i)(a) of the above said rules with immediate effect until further orders. During the period this order remains in force, the Head Quarters of Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, Asst. Director, M&G, Guntur, shall be Guntur, and the said Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, A.D., M&G, shall not leave the Head Quarters without obtaining the previous permission of the undersigned.

8. It is further ordered that during the period of suspension, Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, Assistant Director, Mines & Geology, Guntur, shall be paid subsistence allowance as per rule 53 of the F.Rs.

(BY ORDER IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

RANJEEV R. ACHARYA  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
Sri A.Srinivasa Kumar, Assistant Director,  
Mines & Geology, Guntur through the Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad.  
The Director of Mines & Geology, Hyderabad.  
Copy to:  
The Secretary, A.P.V.C., Secretariat Buildings, Hyderabad.  
The D.G., V&E, Hyderabad.  
The District Treasury Officer, Guntur.

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